

# POISON WINE TRACED IN MARTINEZ

## NEW OPERATOR FOR HOTEL CARQUINEZ LOOMS

THE WEATHER  
San Francisco Bay Region

Fair Wednesday and Thursday with fog in  
early morning. Frost. Variable winds.

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In Air

## CABINET HEADS HIT IN INDIAN PROBE



VICTORIOUS CREW of the giant tri-motored plane "Question Mark" which remained in the air for more than 150 hours in test recently completed. Fuel and food was received in midair. The daring fliers are (left to right) Maj. Carl Spatz, commander; Capt. Ira C. Eaker, chief pilot; Lieut. H. A. Halvorsen, Lieut. Elwood Quesada and Sgt. Roy Hove, who repaired engines of the plane as she soared in the clouds on her record flight.

### Worn Rocker Arms Halted Long Hop

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 8.—UP—Worn rocker arms caused the motor trouble which forced the army plane Question Mark to

terminate its endurance flight Monday after more than 150 hours in the air. Tommy Thompson

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### Suits Settled In Bethel Isle Flood

MARTINEZ, Jan. 8.—Settlement out of court of damage suits against W. T. Sesson and his realty company for alleged losses to land owners and ranchers on Bethel Island was effected this morning by the Anglo Lumber and Lumber National bank, it became known today.

Attorneys for the realty company announced that \$14,000 in damages plus interest charges had been stipulated for reclamation work in

the two suits on which the other 16 suits were to be decided. It was further stipulated that the same facts as introduced in the Bloomfield-Cleaves suit should prevail. The remaining 16 suits were continued to March 12 to be set at that time. It is expected that the Bloomfield-Cleaves action now on appeal will have been settled by that time with the probability of an out of court settlement being reached.

### 1500 Approve, 400 Protest New Road

Petitions signed by 1500 persons were filed yesterday by residents of Richmond urging that the new cutoff road from the foot of the Tank Farm hill to Tenth street which has been mapped by Supervisor Zebb Knott as his major highway project of the year, be constructed.

Residents of the San Pablo district presented a petition signed by 400 persons protesting the work. The San Pabloans declare that the work is an "unjust bur-

den on the taxpayers and is unwarranted" and that it will be a "waste of public funds," besides affecting the "present desirability of the property to industrial purposes."

The petitions were placed on file with the board of supervisors and a hearing will be held in February.

Lee D. Windrem, Richmond attorney, has been engaged by San Pabloans to fight the road which will not touch San Pablo.

### El Cerrito Victim Of Shooting Divorced

MARTINEZ, Jan. 8.—An inter-lucutory decree of divorce was granted today to F. J. Holmstad of El Cerrito from Mrs. Nora B. Holmstad, who made an unsuccessful attempt on his life and then attempted suicide in their El Cerrito home Aug. 30, last.

Superior Judge H. V. Alvarado granted the divorce after Holm-

stad recounted the episode of the shooting, declaring that his wife had shot him twice wounding him in the face and right leg. She then turned the rifle upon herself and inflicted wounds that at first were believed would prove fatal. Holmstad charged that his wife constantly nagged him and quarreled with him over money matters.

### SPRAY FIRM SHIPS TO EUROPE

Foreign shipments are already being made from the new plant of the California Chemical Spray company, the 612 Watsonville concern that has chosen Richmond as a permanent location and established its preliminary plant in the old chemical building on Castro street near the Santa Fe depot.

Though production only started in December, 18 large orders

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### First Muffler Case In Court

Richmond's first violator of the new law which prohibits the use of a muffler without a cut appeared before Justice of the Peace A. A. Alstrom yesterday and paid \$25 for his lesson in the state traffic code.

In addition to the muffler charge, M. W. Collins, 78 First street, Napier was charged with speeding 50 miles an hour and not having an operators card.

### Standard Oil To Launch New Ship

The Standard Oil company of California will launch its new ship, Delta Queen, in San Francisco today. The ship was built for the delivery of gasoline, distillate and refined oil for the Delta region.

The vessel has a length of 101.4 feet and a depth of 5.9 feet. It will be equipped with 150 horsepower gasoline power engines.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Bert Lenz, 36, and Eveline Cordo, 16, of Richmond, made application for a marriage license in Martinez yesterday.

Application for a marriage license was made in Oakland recently by Ernest W. Heck, 25, of San Leandro and Mollie B. Loveless, 20, of Richmond.

### WEST UNDER FIRE IN QUIZ

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—UP—Two cabinet officers, Secretary of Interior West and Attorney General Barnett, are under fire in the Senate investigation of Indian affairs.

State confirmation of West may be further delayed by members of the Indian Affairs committee while they probe into details of a contract signed by West on behalf of the Pueblo Indians of New Mexico, with the middle Rio Grande conservancy district. The contract, the committee was told, did not protect the rights of the Indians.

To Face Probe  
Attorney General Barnett will be called before the committee Wednesday to tell why he stopped a grand jury investigation of the Jackson Barnett case after it was under way by orders of an assistant attorney general.

Barnett, aged millionaire Indian, divided his wealth made in oil, between his young white wife and the American Baptist Home Mission society. The division was approved by the interior department and later cancelled by court order.

Charles B. Selby, special assistant attorney general, told the committee he intended to seek federal indictments against former Secretary of Interior Fall, Commissioner of Indian Affairs Burke, Mrs. Barnett and her attorneys, but was halted by a wire from

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### Chamber Will Name Heads

Officers will be named by the Richmond Chamber of Commerce directors at a session in the Hotel Carquinez this noon. The new board, which was elected recently will hold its first meeting and will name a president and committees.

The publicity committee will hold its session prior to the directors' meeting. Members of the committee includes: J. A. McVittie, J. F. Galvin, Fred B. LaMoine, M. A. Hays, W. W. Scott and Guy E. Miles.

### Reckless Driver Fined \$30 Here

John Fisher of San Francisco paid a fine of \$30 for reckless driving when he appeared before Justice of the Peace A. A. Alstrom yesterday.

### LEGISLATURE SWAMPED BY FLOOD OF NEW MEASURES

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 8.—(UP)—California legislators get a new record today when 106 bills were introduced into the Assembly and 122 bills were presented by Senators.

Presentation of bills will be continued Wednesday and it is expected that a new avalanche of legislation will be submitted.

Ratification of the seven state compact making California's participation in the construction of Boulder Dam a certainty occupied the attention of both houses during the morning session.

### Conscience To Guide Her



ALICE WHITE, movie actress, must let conscience be her guide under new contract with Warner Brothers. If she transgresses, she must confess and be punished. Resolved, to be good.

### LEAGUE OF DEATH TOLD

MOSCOW, Jan. 8.—(UP)—A fantastic fraternity of self-destruction, "The League of Death," which caused 11 young communists to take their lives in a flaming revival of the pessimism of black literature, is reported at the capital from the distant town of Ilesva, in the Urals. Both boys and girls were its victims.

The most active members of the League branch of the communist youth committed suicide in the organized league before authorities realized that the deaths were planned and carried out on schedule, according to reports of an informant.

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### HAMILTON IN OFFER TO BOARD

Possibility that the Charles B. Hamilton hotel chain will give up the operation of the Hotel Carquinez and that a resident operator may take over the hotel, following a discussion held last night when a called meeting of the stockholder was postponed.

Several prospects were already under consideration for the operation of hotel it was reported last night. Hamilton it was said is planning on entering his property in a large hotel which he is about to take over in the northern part of the state.

In a letter to the board of directors, Hamilton stated that he was willing to surrender his interest in the Hotel Carquinez and the Hotel Los Angeles recently and that those held a personal interview with Hamilton.

No action could be taken by the board last night as there was not a quorum present. A report of stock represented at the meeting while a total of 1000 is needed for a quorum.

Hamilton, according to Belmont and Bennett has expressed his willingness to sell the hotel company, is negotiating with one who is to operate the hotel.

Action upon the matter was postponed until a special meeting of the directors is called in the near future. Notices of the last meeting, condition of the hotel will be made to each stockholder.

Reports of the year were read by H. A. Johnson, secretary of the board of directors. R. M. Dwyer, resident president.

### Standard Oil Offers Airplane For Solon's Use

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 8.—Members of the state legislature will be "treated" to a ride in the Standard Oil's huge monoplane, "Standard of California No. 1" starting next week.

Following the lead set by Col. Charles Lindbergh, who last week offered all congressmen a free ride in the Standard Oil's plane, the Standard Oil's monoplane to Sacramento for the use of state officials.

The plane can carry 12 passengers and two pilots.

### Provide Charge Set For Today

Byron Robertson will appear before Justice of the Peace A. A. Alstrom today on a preliminary hearing of a charge to provide charge. T. M. Carlson is attorney for the defense while Warren Olney will prosecute the charge. This is Olney's first case, since his appointment to succeed Hiram Jacobs as deputy district attorney.

### TUESDAY IN WASHINGTON

(BY UNITED PRESS)  
SENATE  
Debated anti-war treaty.  
HOUSE  
Discussed war department appropriation bill.  
Voted to seat Rep. Beck, Pennsylvania republican.

### Arsenic Found In Liquor At County Seat

MARTINEZ, Jan. 8.—Wine, impregnated with sufficient arsenic to cause paralysis or death if consumed regularly, is being sold in Martinez, it was revealed today when private agencies made an analysis of some of the wine.

A report that the death of one man can be traced to drinking the point, arsenic and that it has caused paralysis to a second, is being checked by this private agency. Reports checked here to

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### Relief Seen For East In Cold Wave

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—UP—The Midwest and Southwest appears today to have broken the siege which had been maintained by the sub-zero wave since last Saturday, changing more than a score of lives, impeding transportation and causing numerous minor injuries.

Weather bureau forecasts more relief before morning. J. M. Lloyd, official of the Chicago area, predicted the cold wave would move southward and that temperatures would rise slightly in the Great Lake region.

While the central part of the country was preparing to chafe off the iceless Devils Lake, N. D., and Moorhead, Minn., reported temperatures 24 degrees below zero.

### 'Flu' Spreading To Northeast States

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—UP—New cases of influenza reported today to the U. S. public health service for last week totaled 62, as compared with 56,000 the previous week. Twenty-five states, New York city and the District of Columbia were included in the reports.

The figures indicated that the epidemic now in its tenth week was spreading to the middle Atlantic and north eastern states. Increases were reported by cities in means of fishing influenza.

### Hoover In No Haste To Select Cabinet

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8.—UP—President-elect Hoover will not select his cabinet, which probably will not be announced until his return from Florida about Feb. 15, one of his closest advisers told the United Press tonight.

Hoover, it was learned, is considering the question of his cabinet as the most important problem confronting him and all other anything about that unless it is not a problem will be thrust aside until he is established in office.

### Pittsburg Aroused By Lone Motorist

PITTSBURG, Jan. 8.—Half of the population of Pittsburg was roused from bed at 3:20 o'clock this morning by the continuous sounding of the alarms.

It was not a catastrophe that had struck the city. Instead, E. C. Chapman, 29, steel worker, was responsible for the alarms when the automobile he was driving fell a power pole at Tenth and Cutter streets, according to police reports.

Chapman sought aid and instead walked right into trouble. He called at one of the nearby homes to ask the householder to take him to his home. The residence he called at belonged to City Manager Roy Watkins who turned

him over to police. He now faces a charge of reckless driving.

Until electricians were able to repair the damaged pole, a general alarm continued to ring for more than an hour.

According to Chapman's story told to the police, two men jumped on the running board of the car and one of them struck him on the head with a heavy instrument. He said that he supposed the men were attempting to rob him and that he lost control of the car which plunged into the power pole.

Chapman was badly bruised, but Dr. L. C. Gregory who examined him told police that the man had been drinking according to police reports.



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WEDNESDAY MORNING, JAN. 9, 1929.

## TIME AND ITS MEASURE

As this is the beginning of a new year, it is timely to take a new account of our systems of measuring time.

Once more a definite proposal has been made to rearrange the calendar so as to clear up the inconsistencies of the present yardstick of the days. That movement the *Record-Herald* heartily supports, for it has long been aware of the need of a more systematic calendar.

The American people are cumbered with several measuring devices that reduce their efficiency but so closely do they cling to tradition that it has heretofore been impossible to change the order of things. We refer to the measures of distance and time—the so-called four dimensions with which humanity is concerned.

The calendar is clumsy and worn out. It serves—with a little extra labor—to account for our days and nights, but it can be made so much simpler that it will standardize many affairs of business, especially accounting. The proposed change is simply to make the year one of 13 months each of 28 days, each month to contain four even weeks. Under such a system the first of each month would fall on the same day of the week. Calculations of wages, interest, payments and lots of other fees would be systematized under a uniform month.

The argument against the adoption of the new standard is simply that which prevents the adoption of the metric system—the fact that millions of old established things are already measured in terms of the old units.

## MR. HOOVER, AMBASSADOR OF GOOD WILL

There is no doubt that the trip will result in very greatly improved relations between this country and South America which are none too good. The Latin-American countries by no means like the interpretation of the Monroe Doctrine by which we constitute ourselves the policemen of the western hemisphere.

Washington is a long distance away from them. Whether we so intend it or not, our policies contribute something to misunderstanding and resentment.

A visit from the president-elect who only recently held a cabinet post in the government and who travels formally by battleship cannot but be an effective gesture. Mr. Hoover will be received everywhere with acclaim. As the future president he will make invaluable contacts and acquaintanceships. The South Americans will feel that they know him when he takes office. Through him they will feel better acquainted with the United States. Face to face meeting inevitably inspires confidence. It is useful in healing misunderstandings.

Mr. Hoover's visit will make it far easier for us to have pleasant relations with South American countries during the coming four years than would otherwise be the case.—*Hartford Times*.

A United States cruiser is to be named "Chicago," and if it is manned by Chicago's most expert bombing expert, we know who's going to win the next war.—*Macon Telegraph*.

Recent hoboes' convention went on record as favoring a six-hour day and a five day week—without work.—*Philadelphia Inquirer*.

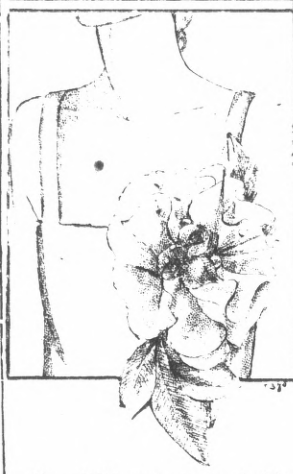
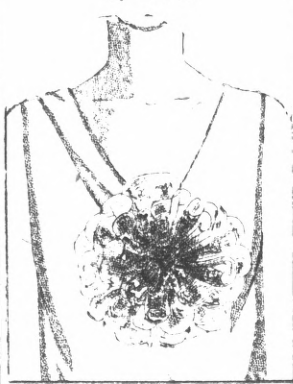
Every cloud has a silver lining. Al Smith can now lean back in his arm chair and think of all the pie hunters he has avoided.

The election has had one marked effect already. It has brought jazz back to the radio.

On some girls the nose itself looks like a powder puff.

## What Shall I Wear?

By JUDIE



Top—Iridescent gauze fashions. This transparent flower.  
Below—oversized rose of sheer yellow silk has petals slightly

## AND THE WORST IS YET TO COME



shaded and leaves of vivid green

Dear Judie,  
Do they still wear artificial flowers for evening? If so what kinds, and how? M. R. O.  
Smart women can always wear anything—they are a law unto themselves so maybe you are in that class. You may of course wear a flower since you feel so inclined. Here are two of the newest, and two of the approved placements. Anywhere but on the shoulder seems to be the general ruling. If you pipe for a shoulder decoration why not a bow? They are very nice just now.

Your for style,

JUDIE.

## Tortoise Pet For Princess

LONDON, Jan. 6.—(U.P.)—A valuable tortoise, a present from a Japanese diplomat, is the latest pet of little Princess Elizabeth, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of York.

The tortoise has markings of red and orange denoting its aristocratic pedigree, and has been named "Madame Butterfly." One of the first things the little Princess does on getting up in the morning is to go into the garden and feed her tortoise its cabbage diet.

## BEAUTY

My Dear Miss Lane,

What is your objection to using a razor to shave the eyebrows with. I've always used one and found it very satisfactory.

BELLA

My objection is an entirely personal one. I can't use the razor thing with any skill and, what's more, I've seldom seen anyone who could. However, if you are satisfied why worry about it?

My Dear Miss Lane,

My hands are red although I try to take good care of them. Can't you suggest some way I can make them whiter? E.  
Keep the skin soft and smooth by nightly massage with a good skin food and never wash the hands without following the cleansing with the use of a hand lotion. There are many of these on the market which combine to bleach and soften the hands.

Of course, if the condition is due to improper circulation, this bleaching won't do much good.

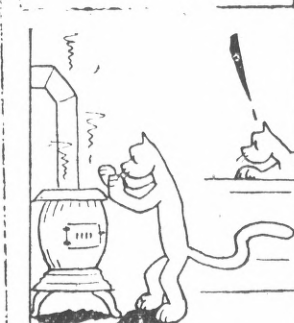
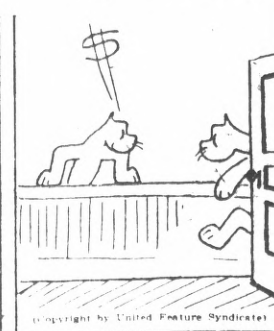
In the theater the other day I saw a girl drag out a powder puff which looked as though it had been trampled on and used for a doornail. How can women who are so careful about their powder puff? Remember that wash easily with soap and water.

## Rock Car While Greasing Spring

When greasing spring saddles and other parts of chassis of your car, it is a good plan to have someone rock the car until the grease-line opens, suggests the free emergency road service of the California State Automobile association.

## Cat Tales

by Pusey



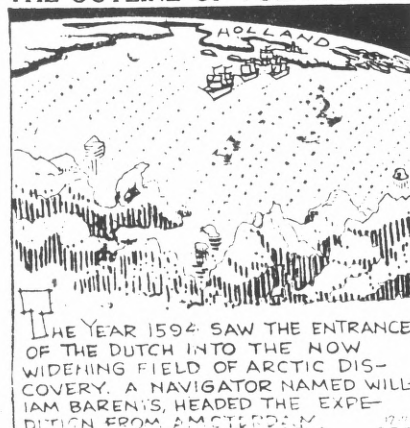
## Girl Argues Thief Out Of Stealing Coat

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 30. (U.P.)—Miss Edna Raymond, 17, is a pretty good talker. Returning home from a night school, she talked a highwayman out of a fur coat which she had borrowed from her sister.

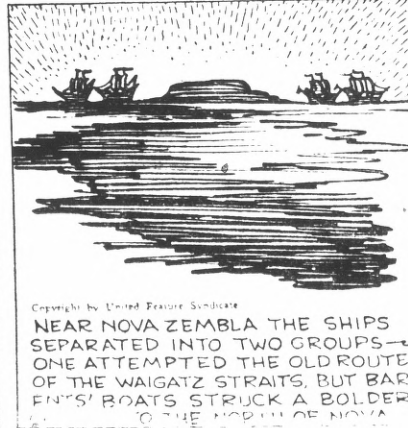
A man who had followed her for several blocks pressed a retreat.

“Lady, I want that fur coat.”  
“I can’t give it to you, really.”  
“Miss Raymond replied, “You see it isn’t mine.”  
“The robber insisted but the girl was firm. “Really, I can’t. It belongs to my sister and anyway the coat isn’t worth much.”  
“The robber had met his equal. “Well, keep the coat and walk in the other direction.” The girl protested it was out of her way.  
“Lady, keep the coat, but you will have to walk the other way. And the would be robber you

## THE OUTLINE OF POLAR EXPLORATION

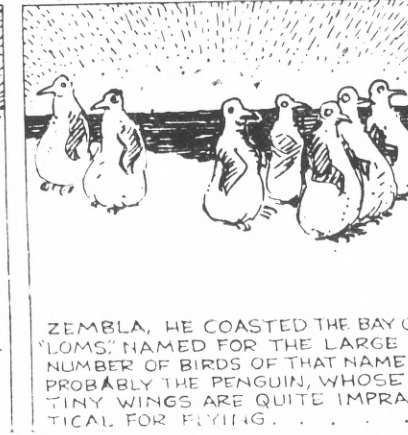


THE YEAR 1594 SAW THE ENTRANCE OF THE DUTCH INTO THE NOW WIDENING FIELD OF ARCTIC DISCOVERY. A NAVIGATOR NAMED WILLIAM BARENTS, HEADED THE EXPEDITION FROM AMSTERDAM.



NEAR NOVA ZEMBLA THE SHIPS SEPARATED INTO TWO GROUPS—ONE ATTEMPTED THE OLD ROUTE OF THE WAIGATZ STRAITS, BUT BARENTS' BOATS STRUCK A BOLDER OF THE NORTH OF NOVA.

## Barents' Expedition



ZEMBLA, HE COASTED THE BAY OF "LOMS," NAMED FOR THE LARGE NUMBER OF BIRDS OF THAT NAME—PROBABLY THE PENGUIN, WHOSE TINY WINGS ARE QUITE IMPRACTICAL FOR FLYING.

## By R. A. WOLFE



BEYOND THE BLACK CAPE, NEAR THE ORANGE ISLES HE AND HIS CREW DISCOVERED A MIGHTY HERD OF WALRUS—WHICH HE STARTED TO ATTACK, LITTLE SUSPECTING THEIR REAL CHARACTER!

## KINGS OF THE DUFFS



IT IS A PLEASURE MR. DUFF, TO BE A NEIGHBOR OF YOURS.

## Just a sign that That's All



—PUT I AM SURPRISED THAT YOU COMPLAIN ABOUT YOUR WIFE SPENDING \$300 FOR A COAT—

## That's All



—I CAN SHOW YOU A DOZEN COATS MY WIFE PAID AS MUCH FOR— IF SHE HADN'T THROWN THEM AWAY— WHY ONLY YESTERDAY I SAW HER TACKLE CUT A BEAUTIFUL DRESS, AND WHEN I ASKED THE REASON FOR SUCH EXTRAVAGANCE—

## By LUTHER T.



—SHE SAID: "DON'T BE SILLY, GEORGE—I'VE ALREADY WORN IT!"

## SKYLARK



THIS IS A HECK OF A PLACE TO PARK, SKYLARK—GIVE ME A HAND AND ILL LIFT YOU OUT OF THIS JAM!

## Rip, Rip, Hurray!



HOLD TIGHT! ALLEY OOP!

## By EDDIE STINSON E. F. WOGGON



HOLD EVERYTHING!

## By HARRY F. O'NEILL



UGH! WAL YOU CAN GO NOW FLASH!—I WANT TO BE ALONE WEETH DEES KEED

## YOUNG BUFFALO BILL



THE BANDIT LEADER IS NOW DEEPLY CONCERNED ABOUT THIS SERIOUS PREDICAMENT AND HAS TOLD FLASH RAMSDALL TO BRING BILL BEFORE HIM EARLY NEXT MORNING.

IT IS EVIDENT, WHAT EVER THIS CRAFTY OUTLAW CHIEF-TAIN HAS IN MIND INVOLVES OUR YOUNG HERO.

## Answering the Summons



JOE, FLASH RAMSDALL IS OUTSIDE AND SAYS THE FOX WANTS TO SEE ME

## WAL HYAR HE IS BOSS!



UGH! WAL YOU CAN GO NOW FLASH!—I WANT TO BE ALONE WEETH DEES KEED

## By HARRY F. O'NEILL



UGH! WAL YOU CAN GO NOW FLASH!—I WANT TO BE ALONE WEETH DEES KEED



# Society and Club News

## Lester Skow Will Marry Oakland Girl

Miss Lucille H. Mohring of Elmhurst will become the bride of Lester Skow at a ceremony to be performed tonight in the home of Rev. Edwin Moll, pastor of the English Lutheran church of Oakland.

The bride will be attended by Miss Erma Skow, sister of the bridegroom, and Ellis Skow will be his brother's best man. The ceremony will be witnessed by members of the immediate families of the couple.

Following the wedding, the couple will leave on a honeymoon trip to southern California. They expect to be gone two weeks and upon their return will make their home in a new cottage on the Skow ranch on the San Pablo creek road.

Miss Mohring is the daughter of Mrs. M. Mohring and formerly resides in Pinole valley.

Skow is well known in Richmond fraternal circles. He is a son of S. P. Skow and is associated with his father in the Richmond Farm creamery.

## Richmond W. C. T. U. Lays Plans To Increase Rolls

Plans for a membership drive to be held in the near future were discussed yesterday by the members of the Richmond W. C. T. U. at a session in the home of Mrs. Mary Shoencker, 1024 Barrett avenue.

The ninth birthday of the V. C. T. act was celebrated by the group yesterday with a short program and a number of speeches.

Miss Nannie Nesbitt was welcomed back as a member of the Union. She has been out of town several weeks. Among the visitors present were Mrs. J. B. Butler, of Kingman, Kan., and Mrs. Isaac McGuffin of Richmond.

Mrs. Fannie Jackson was in charge of the session.

## Mrs. A. B. Cole Seals Officers In Berkeley

Mrs. A. B. Cole of Richmond, a state officer of the War Mothers affiliated at the installation of officers for the Berkeley chapter of War Mothers recently. She was assisted by Mrs. Lucille Redding, chairman and Mrs. E. A. Courtney, conductress of the Richmond chapter of War Mothers.

Other Richmond women attending the ceremonies included Mrs. Anna Keaton and Mrs. Sarah Whitford.

## Westway Sewing Club Has Party

A combined Christmas and New Year's party was enjoyed by the members of the Westway Sewing club yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Theis, 1327 Garvin avenue. The members appeared in costume and enjoyed games and refreshments.

Mrs. C. L. Theis was in charge of the event.

## St. Andrew's Group To Meet Tonight

The St. Andrews' society of Richmond and district will hold its first social event of the year tonight in the Richmond club-house. W. J. Macdonald, president of the society, will be in charge of the session and Mrs. James Stuart will have charge of the program.

Plans will be arranged for the celebration of Robert Burns' birthday to be held in the near future.

## Point Baptist Aid Postpones Session

The session of the Point Richmond Baptist Ladies Aid society scheduled for today has been postponed until Jan. 16 it was announced last night. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Forbes. Officers will be elected.

## Rosalca Club Postpones Meet

The Rosalca 500 club meeting scheduled for today has been postponed indefinitely on account of the illness of Mrs. Rose Phillips who was to have been hostess for the group.

## Manages To Keep Busy



MARY E. BLYTHE of Cook, Neb., edits, sets up, prints and sells the Weekly Courier in that town. Oh, yes, she is also the reportorial staff.

## PLUS ULTRA CLASS SEATS NEW LEADERS

The Plus Ultra class of the First Baptist church was entertained yesterday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. Kister, 325 Panama street. A covered dish luncheon was served after which the new officers took their places.

New officers are: Mrs. May Wallin, president; Mrs. M. H. Salisbury, vice-president; Mrs. Fred Jackson, secretary and Mrs. Lena Binkley, treasurer.

The "Bright Idea" plan was inaugurated, two members being named to bring ideas to be taught to the other members. Mrs. Wallin and Mrs. T. E. Woods were appointed for the next meeting.

The treasure box for the annual bazaar was started yesterday. The class will hold a Spanish luncheon in the home of Mrs. Salisbury Jan. 24, and will serve a chicken dinner in the social hall of the church on Feb. 7 with Mrs. T. E. Woods as chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements.

The next meeting of the class will be held in the home of Mrs. Wallin, 663 Sixth street, Feb. 5. Miss John Golden will be in charge of the covered dish luncheon.

## Forrester Club Plans Whist Party

Plans for a whist party to be held in the near future were discussed last night by the members of the Women's Catholic Order of Forrester's Sewing club. The whist party will be held in the Memorial hall and all members of the circle will unite to make it a successful event.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reeb was hostess to the group. Whist was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

## Alexandra Lodge In Business Session

A short business meeting was held by Alexandra lodge Daughters of St. George last night in Memorial hall with Mrs. Elizabeth Lambert presiding. Visitors were present from Alameda lodge. A social game of whist was enjoyed and was followed by refreshments.

## Point W. C. T. U. Plans Events

The Point W. C. T. U. held a short business meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Paul Dunlap, 37 Terrace avenue. In the absence of Mrs. Nellie Bly, president of the group, Mrs. S. James took charge of the meeting.

Plans were arranged for events to be held in the near future.

## Mooseheart Legion Will Meet Tonight

The Mooseheart Legion will hold its business meeting tonight in the Moose hall under the direction of Mrs. Nellie LaLonde. Plans for the new year will be discussed. All members have been urged to attend.

## Mrs. Ima Randolph

MEZZO SOPRANO  
A Singer who teaches  
Music who sings.  
Thursdays—All day and evening.  
Conservatory of 3566 Lakeshore  
Muir  
Oakland  
Macdonald Tel. Oakland 6998  
Avenue Boulevard

## MUSGETEATS INSTALL NEW SET OF HEADS

Officers of the Musgeteats were installed last night in the home of Mrs. Minnie Phillips, 1731 Barrett avenue. Mrs. Daisy Mayo was installing officer and was presented with a gift by the other members.

Officers installed were Mrs. Phillips, president; Mrs. X. L. Londe, vice-president; Mrs. May Lee Kelly, secretary; and Miss Margaret Mayo, treasurer. What was enjoyed by the members with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Kelly, Bert Ten Eyck, C. M. Kelly, Mrs. Mayo and Joe Londe. The next meeting of the club will be held in the home of Mrs. Kelly with Bert Ten Eyck as host.

Mrs. Velma Mae Quinn was accepted as a new member. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

## ST. EDMUND'S GUILD NAMES NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. O. Fenix was named president of the St. Edmund's Guild yesterday afternoon at a session in the Guild hall. Other officers named were Mrs. H. J. Hill, first vice president; Mrs. E. H. Hill, second vice president; Mrs. A. Fowell, secretary; and Miss C. Rogerson, treasurer.

## Mrs. C. L. Bryant Entertains For Wesley M. E. Aid

Mrs. C. L. Bryant, 2521 Dwight Way, Berkeley, a former resident of this city was hostess to the members of the General Ladies Aid society of the Wesley Methodist church yesterday afternoon. A social afternoon was enjoyed and games were played.

More than 20 members of the local group were among those present at the session.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CLUB ENJOYS PARTY

The Young Married People's class of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed its monthly social meeting last night in the church parlors. The session was opened by Rev. A. A. Pratt and was followed by games and refreshments.

The committee in charge included Mr. and Mrs. Harold Day, Dr. and Mrs. Lowell R. Sears and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Jones.

## EAGLES TO PLAN RECEPTION FOR GRAND OFFICER

Plans for a reception to John Ryan of Indianapolis, grand president of the Eagles, who will visit the Bay district in Oakland Feb. 11 were discussed by the members of the Richmond circle of Eagles last night in Woodmen hall. P. F. Barry, president, William McChristian and A. Regelle comprise a committee to meet with a committee from the Oakland circle to complete plans for the reception.

The local circle is making preparations for a large class initiation to be held Jan. 29. The event will be followed by a banquet.

## Longfellow P. T. A. Postpones Session

The Longfellow junior high school P. T. A. will hold its session Jan. 16 in the school instead of today, according to an announcement made last night.

## Initiation Planned By Tahoe Council

Tahoe council No. 100 of the Pacific Coast made plans for an adoption of a class of candidates next Tuesday night. Refreshments were served following the business session.

## Steele Improvement Club Will Meet

The Steele Improvement club will hold a business meeting next Tuesday night in East Shore park.

## Alpha Lodge Confers Degree

Alpha lodge of Masons conferred the second degree last night in Masonic hall with E. C. Lambrecht, senior warden, in charge. John McGrath, worshipful master, presided.

The speaker of the evening was A. G. Jones of the General Electric company, Oakland, who spoke on "Electricity and Its Uses."

Next Tuesday night, the third degree will be conferred with McGrath in charge.

## Minister's Son Wed



LEAVING Calvary Baptist church in New York City are Warren Badenoch Stratton and bride, former Ruth Carter. Father of groom, Dr. John Roach Stratton, militant divine, tied the knot.

## NATION PLANS HONORS FOR FLIERS

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Kins, Wright, a former resident of this city was hostess to the members of the General Ladies Aid society of the Wesley Methodist church yesterday afternoon.

Rocket arms on Wright motors, as distributed by the factory, do not provide a gasolene and oil system and rely on a hand pump for at least 15 hours for oiling, he said.

For the Question Mark's high the army supplies a temporary greasing system which apparently did not function as expected, the expert declared.

Of the three motors two were disabled when the plane touched ground, one of them pumping oil badly and the other completely dead.

Tomkins said the repairs would be trivial and would cost not over \$75.

The rocket arms can be replaced and the plane ready for air Wednesday, he declared.

## CREW WINS NATIONS PRAISE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8. (U.P.) Maj. Carl Spatz, commander of the record-breaking endurance plane Question Mark, and his crew were the recipients of congratulatory messages from President Coolidge and army and navy heads today. It was indicated they will be recommended for distinguished flying crosses.

The president pointed out in his message that the accomplishment has increased confidence in aviation and again has shown the effectiveness of governmental pioneering in aeronautics.

Assistant Secretary of Navy Warner said he could pay the contingent no higher compliment than to say it was worthy of the men who flew it.

Secretary of War Davis, landed the fliers in again adding to the glory of the army air corps.

Rear Admiral W. A. Moffett, chief of the Navy bureau of aeronautics, wired the fliers that their feat had demonstrated the superiority of the air-cooled motor and the practicability of aerial refueling on long distance flights.

## Garcia Returned To Face Charges

Manuel J. Garcia of Hanford, who was arrested here by Police Inspector Oliver Wylie Saturday, was turned over to the Hanford police yesterday morning by the Richmond police department. Garcia was taken to Hanford to stand trial on a charge of failure to provide.

JAMESVILLE, Minn. — Sponsoring a big public park is an activity of the Jamesville Post of The American Legion to make its home town a better place in which to live.

## Professional Women Plan English Class

Plans for a class in speech in preparation and public building was outlined last night in the Hotel Carmichael by the members of the Richmond Business and Professional Women's club.

Mrs. Mabel Farrington Gifford, state chief of speech instruction, who will be in charge of the classes, addressed the members last night at the dinner meeting. Mrs. Gifford spoke on a recent tour she made through France, Germany and Italy visiting the leading institutions of those countries.

Classes which will be open to the public will be held in the studio of Miss Aurora Thompson in the Cunningham building at Sixth street and Macdonald avenue on the first and third Friday of each month. The first meeting will be held next Tuesday night and will be given at 7:30 o'clock. These classes will be under the auspices of the Richmond Business and Professional Women's club.

Plans were also discussed for a reception to new members to be held in the Hotel Carmichael Jan. 22. Mrs. Ruby Bryant heads the committee in charge of arrangements. Dr. J. E. Jenkins was appointed chairman of a committee to arrange for a St. Valentine's dance to be held in the hotel, Feb. 15.

## WESLEY SOCIAL CLUB ENJOYS INDOOR PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Carlson were honored guests at a session of the Wesley social club last night in the Wesley Methodist church. The club includes the young married set of the church.

During the evening a program was enjoyed by the members. Miss Effie Mae Madlin, director of the choir, entertained with a number of selections.

The entertainment was in the form of an indoor picnic and the refreshments were served in picnic boxes.

The committee in charge included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wall, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomson.

The committee for the next meeting includes Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wood.

## New Spray Firm Ships Produce Across Ocean

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one being filled and last week a carload of spray in drums, tin packages, was sent to San Francisco by Santa Fe and shipped by steamer to Australia. Next week a carload from the Richmond plant will be shipped to England, California Spray, through the activities of E. E. Luther, president and managing genius, has established markets all over the world, its sprays, made under patents resulting from long years of experiment having achieved a commanding position in all fruit growing countries.

A new foreman, J. W. McDougall, has been sent from Watsonville to remain here permanently, and will work under George W. Huntsman, plant manager, who established the local plant. The last named will divide his time between this city and Watsonville.

The new plant can turn out 1000 carloads a year and it is predicted it will soon be doing that much business. All the drums are supplied by the (Humboldt) Steel Package company, which has had this business with California Spray for some years.

A force of about 20 men will be worked for the present plant and about 75 in the larger permanent plant to be built on a site yet to be selected. The Richmond Industrial Commission, has been negotiating with E. E. Luther for nearly two years for location of this industry in Richmond and has finally seen it successfully launched, reports that it has submitted full data to the company covering all sites here that would be suitable for its use. A piece of acreage may be acquired before the end of this year.

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## King George's Condition 'Same'

LONDON, Jan. 8. — (U.P.) — King George's condition remained unchanged today, said an official bulletin issued at Buckingham palace tonight.

Court physicians made it clear that the king was satisfied with his recovery.

Mr. J. H. Casey, 621 Kearney St., Portland, Oregon.

I wish to let you know that I have had Rheumatism and high blood pressure for fifteen years. After trying Casey's Rheumatic and Neuritic Remedy I got great relief in 36 hours. I never expect to be without it as it was surely a Godsend to me. My blood pressure has greatly improved as well as my Rheumatism.

MRS. VIRGINIA JONES, Mineral Hotel, No. 430 Rich-ty. was greatly satisfied with his recovery.

## Queen's Ward Enjoy's Life



ADOPTED as special protegee of Queen Mary of England, this little six year old girl is having the time of her life. The real name of the child has not been revealed.

## PARADE WILL BE HELD BY SCOUTS

Court of honor proceedings were outlined in Richmond Scoutmasters meeting in headquarters in the First National bank building last night. The scoutmasters decided to recommend to the court of honor chairman, T. G. Gray, that the parade of review meetings continue to be held on Friday nights.

Scoutmasters will be asked to see to it that Scouts comply with the expert examiner system of having their tests passed by an expert examiner before being presented to the court of honor.

Anniversary week plans including the mobilization to be held in conjunction with the Richmond Red Cross chapter and the fire and police departments were outlined.

It was decided to hold a parade along Macdonald avenue on Monday, Feb. 11, and Bradford Hobbs was appointed parade marshal. Assistant Fire Chief J. J. Barry will assist in formulating plans for the parade.

All troops will attend church on Sunday, Feb. 10, the opening day of anniversary week. Invitations have been received from the Richmond Ministerial association for the troops to attend their churches where special programs will be arranged.

Scoutmasters present at the meeting last night were Clarence Andrews, Louis Rasmussen, Harry Lancaster, W. T. Shock, E. J. Barnard, A. S. Lily and Bradford Hobbs.

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## Mrs. Faurot Hostess To Areme Club

Mrs. Lola Faurot was hostess to the members of the Areme sewing club yesterday afternoon in her home in Alhambra Vista. Mrs. Faurot, newly elected president, presided for the first time.

Committees for the year were named. They included transportation, Mrs. Lillian Walker; bazaar, Mrs. Sarah Greenhouse; rummage sale, Mrs. Ida McDowell.

Plans for the new year were discussed and a social afternoon was enjoyed.

Mrs. Lillian Anderson will be hostess to the club at its next meeting. She will be assisted by Mrs. Helene Myers.

Among those present yesterday were Mrs. Lola Faurot, Mrs. Edith Perry, Mrs. Bertha Terry, Mrs. Helene Myers, Mrs. Edith Ford, Mrs. Mildred Chase, Mrs. Lillian Anderson, Mrs. Sarah Greenhouse, Mrs. Ida McDowell, Mrs. Charlotte Cushing, Mrs. Anna Hunt, Mrs. Regina Smith, Mrs. Clara Sophor, Mrs. L. Walker, and Mrs. Jessie Spencer.

## League Of Death Told

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vestigation now provided by the "Communist Youth Pravda."

The example of Sergei Yessenin, the dashing young Russian poet and husband of the late Isadora Duncan, who killed himself last year, apparently stirred the young boys and girls of the little town. Out of his grave he seemed to have reached into the town, beckoning impressionable young Russians to share his doom. Yessenin, it will be recalled, wrote a dramatic farewell note in his own blood before hanging himself.

The victims of the "League of Death" were accustomed to meeting for pessimistic discussions of life and poetry which glorified death.

## Barbers Union Installs New Officers Here

Officers were installed last night in Brotherhood hall by the Journeymen Barbers union, Local No. 508. Frank Otis was installing officer.

Those installed were D. P. Quindan, president; Jess Glover, vice president; Thomas Vestal, treasurer; Clarence Ramey, recording secretary; Carl Gossett, auditor; and Frank Morales, guardian. Trustees are Frank Otis, Jess Glover and Clarence Ramey.

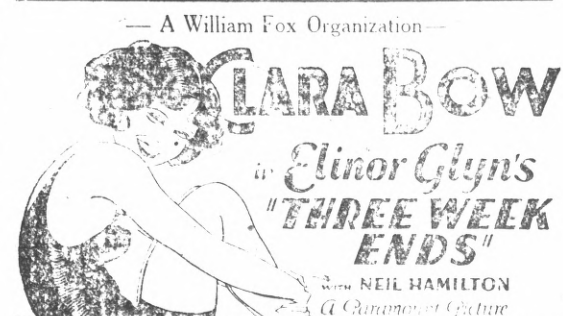
## Pulse, Windrem Back From Lake

Harry Pulse and Marion Windrem have returned from a three day trip to Clear Lake where they enjoyed the mid-winter beauty of the lake region.



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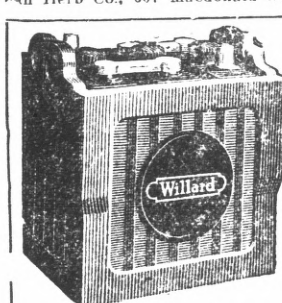
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## Follies Girl Weds Diplomat



LADY NORTHESK, the former Jessica Brown, Follies girl was married in quiet ceremony at London to Vivian Cornelius, wealthy British diplomat.

## First Presbyterian Church Plans For Father, Son Fete

The First Presbyterian church is planning active participation in the Father and Son week to be held here next week. The church is planning to hold a dinner Jan. 17 for the fathers and sons in the church parlors. John Lee is chairman of the event and has arranged some special number.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD

## BIG TRIO UNITE FOR DARING STUNNER

Three of the greatest names in motion pictures had a hand in the making of "Three Week Ends" looked for showing at the California theater today and tomorrow.

"Three Week Ends" is the new daring vehicle for the "madcap" of the screen, Clara Bow. It was written by the famous novelist Elinor Glyn, and directed by Clarence Badger, noted in the screen world for his deft directorial touch in comedy productions.

This "Big Three" of fiction was brought together again by Paramount.

The story of "Three Week Ends" covers the trials and tribulations of a poor but attractive girl of a certain charm whose entertainment is contributed by the dayboys of Broadway during the week ends. It contains many colorful sequences of night life and also interesting parties in and around the country places of the wealthy.

And as an added attraction, Van and Schenck's famous vaudeville headlines will talk and sing some of their latest song hits.

## Mighty Plot Holds Interest For 'Ben Hur'

The magnificent plot, fine characterization and beautiful love story are among the outstanding reasons why "Ben Hur" has gripped the imagination of America for 50 years. In the motion picture coming to the Richmond Theater today the splendid portrayal of Ben-Hur by Ramon Navarro, Esther by Claire McDowell, and Tirzah by Kathleen Key, add to the effect and enhance the romance. These players live the romantic side of the story, which is just as engrossing as the sea battle or even the chariot race.

Miss McAvoy is a charming Esther, daughter of the Merchant of Antioch, who secretly has saved the Hur fortune for the young heir and Ramon Navarro in the Ben-Hur role is handsome, valiant, marked by sincerity, depth and range of feeling.

Perhaps the dearest note is struck out by Ben-Hur and Esther set out to find his lost kin, who have been immured in a forgotten Roman dungeon and unknown to him finally released as outcasts.

## Campfire Girl Leaders Will Discuss Camp

Establishment of a summer camp for the Richmond Campfire Girls in Yosemite Valley will be discussed at a session of the Campfire Girls' Guild to be held here tomorrow night in the city hall. Miss Maude Wood and Miss E. Little, guardians, were in Yosemite valley recently and conferred with park officials on the camp site. They will make their reports tomorrow night.

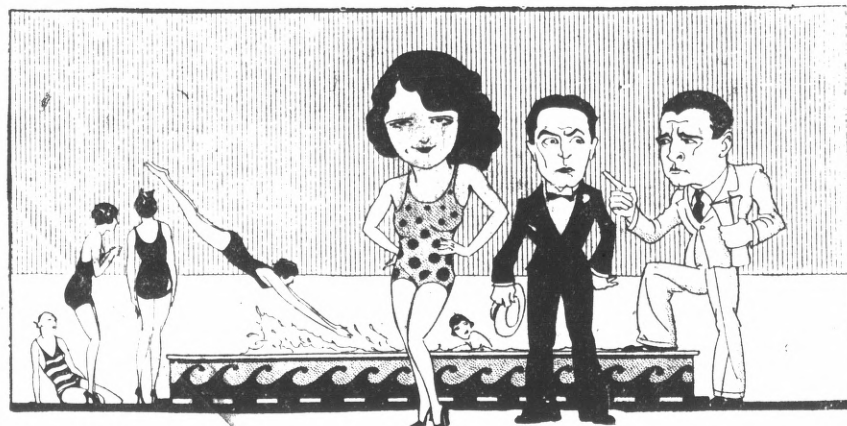
It is planned to send about 50 girls to the camp. No girl will be allowed to attend unless she is a member of the Campfire Girls' group and has earned \$10 toward the outing.

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## 'Three Week Ends'



IN THE FRONT. Clara Bow joins hands with Elinor Glyn and Clarence Badger, director, in bringing "Three Week Ends" to the California theater today and tomorrow.

## It's Without 'How' No Use, Easy To Learn

Elinor Glyn and Clara Bow have made "It's Without 'How' No Use, Easy To Learn" a successful story writer, according to Gilbert G. Weigle, member of the University of California Extension faculty.

Stories of successful writers who are producers of his classes in new paper writing, feature story writing and magazine fiction writing, the instructor says, had to learn "How" to write their stories acceptably before they succeeded. Those who acquire "How" generally succeed, he declares.

Four new classes, all open to the public, will organize on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Jan. 15 and 16, at 7 and 8 o'clock at the Extension building, 240 Powell street, San Francisco. Registrations are now being made and interested persons are invited to attend the opening meetings. The classes will meet one evening a week for fifteen weeks.

## RHEUMATISM

While in France with the American Army I obtained a prescription that thousands of Rheumatism sufferers have used with wonderful results. The prescription cost me nothing and I ask nothing for it. I will mail it if you will send me your address. A postal will bring it. Write today.

PAUL CASE, Dept. B-107, Brookton, Mass.

## School nurse says all girls should know this



TALKING to a roomful of high school girls on personal hygiene, an experienced district nurse said: "One of the basic rules of health for girls is to keep the system functioning naturally at all times. Normal exercise and diet habits should be encouraged. But when necessary there's no harm in taking nujol, since it works mechanically and can't disturb the normal functions of any organ of the body. Particularly with girls, there are times when nujol should always be taken. Take a spoonful every night for a few days. It's a thoroughly safe and harmless method. It won't cause distress or gas pains or griping."

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## Radio News

6:00 to 7:00 A. M.

KPO—Health hour.

7:00 to 8:00 A. M.

KFRC—"Sunny Pitts".

KPO—Exercises.

KFWI—(7:30) Health exercises.

KJBS—Early Bird program.

KJBS—Exercises.

8:00 to 9:00 A. M.

KFRC—Musical recordings.

KJBS—Classified Adv. hour.

KYA—Morning Glories.

KJBS—Favorite recordings.

KPO—Happy Times.

KTAB—Tablet of the air.

9:00 to 10:00 A. M.

KGO—California Home Life.

KTAB—Daphne's Daily Chat.

KTAB—Prayer service; hymns.

KJBS—Jackson Furniture program.

KJBS—Popular hours.

KYA—Household hints.

KFRC—Georgia Gorge.

10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

KJBS—Records; news flashes.

KFRC—Wyn's Daily Chat.

KPO—NBC program.

KGO—Studio features.

KJBS—Musical program.

KYA—Records; talks.

KTAB—Records.

KQW—Helpful hour.

11:00 to 12 Noon

KJBS—Jackson Furniture Co. recordings.

KGO—Women's program; Rembrandt hour.

KPO—NBC program.

KYA—Sunshine hour.

KTAB—Restful hour.

KFRC—Talk; amateur auditions.

KTAB—Restful hour.

KFWI—Morning concert.

KJBS—Musical program.

KQW—Leonard and Holt program.

KJBS—Records.

KZM—Program.

12:00 Noon to 1:00 P. M.

KJBS—Tribune story; Geo. O'Connell's Hawaiians.

KGO—Rembrandt hour.

KJBS—Variety hour program; talks.

KFRC—Sherman Clay Co. concert.

KFWI—Lunchroom program.

KPO—Lillian R. Program.

KYA—News.

KTAB—Records.

KZM—Piano solos.

1:00 to 2:00 P. M.

KJBS—Jean's Hi-Lights.

KFWI—Country Store.

KYA—Pacific Salon orchestra.

1:00 to 5:00 P. M.

KJBS—Chas. Beserer at Scott's Rite organ.

KJBS—Dance music.

KPO—Features.

KPO—Trip.

KYA—Records.

KGO—Hotel St. Francis concert.

KTAB—Tea hour.

KFWI—Organ; Happiness program.

KQW—Sunshine hour.

KZM—Children's hour.

5:00 to 6:00 P. M.

KJBS—Brother Bob; Curtain Call.

KYA—Who's Who period.

KFRC—The Story Man.

KPO—Children's hour.

KFWI—Children's hour; news.

KGO—Studio features.

KTAB—Profile hour.

KZM—Features; Paul's hour.

KZM—Children's hour.

6:00 to 7:00 P. M.

KJBS—Hotel Oakland concert.

KFRC—Organ recital; orchestra.

Light hour.

KPO—NBC program.

KFWI—Musical program.

KGO—Rembrandt hour; Palmolive transcontinental broadcast.

KYA—News; Golden Gate Crier.

KZM—Features.

KZM—Studio program.

7:00 to 8:00 P. M.

KJBS—News reports; Bagdadlan.

KGO—Palmolive program; Rembrandt hour.

KFWI—Dor Herold.

KPO—NBC program.

KTAB—Records.

KYA—Dance program; dramatic sketch.

KFRC—Cecilians.

KQW—Farm Bureau news.

8:00 to 9:00 P. M.

KJBS—Educational program.

KFRC—Piano recital; footlight favorites.

KTAB—Tribune trio.

KYA—Concert orchestra.

KPO—Trio.

KGO—Poetry and music; Parisian quintet.

KFWI—Studio program.

KFWI—Watch Tower program.

KQW—Baptist church.

9:00 to 10:00 P. M.

KJBS—Studio program.

KFWI—Novelty program.

KPO—NBC program.

KTAB—Lullaby Girls; musical program.

KFRC—Richfield Oil program.

KYA—NBC program.

KQW—Baptist church; crop digest.

KGO—Jack and Ethyl; surprise broadcast.

10:00 to 11:00 P. M.

KTAB—Records.

KFRC—Mark Hopkins orchestra.

KFWI—Novelty program.

KYA—NBC program.

KGO—Trocadero.

11:00 to 12:00 Midnight

KFRC—Concert orchestra.

KPO—NBC program.

KTAB—Concert trio.

KYA—Dance music.

MIDNIGHT ON

KTAB—The Night Owl.

## Church Fellowship Meets Tomorrow At Wesley M. E.

The Wesley Methodist church will be the scene of the session of the Richmond Church Fellowship tomorrow night at 6:30 p. m. The women of the Community Methodist church will serve the dinner.

Miss Reba Crawford, daughter of Colonel Crawford of the Salvation Army will be the speaker of the day. She will discuss the work of the organization.

A musical program by a group of Richmond radio singers will be given.

## Mary Turkovich Funeral Today

Funeral services will be conducted here today at 10 o'clock from the Wilson and Kratze chapel for Miss Mary Turkovich, 18, of Richmond, who died in Oakland two days ago. Deceased was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Turkovich, 746 Seventh street. Interment will be in Sunset View cemetery.

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"Oh, dear, dear, dear," she called back to her brother. "Yeh, just a minute," he returned, stuffing the dog with another piece of toast behind Fanny's back. The girl opened the door past which she had been stepping so quietly. She went over to the bed and shook the recumbent figure. "It's time to get up, Audrey," she announced gently. The figure did not stir. Only the head, with its mass of dark hair tinged with red, stirred, shaking into activity the cropped curls that spread in gay abandon over the pillow. "Audrey, dear, time to get up," Fanny announced again, still shaking her sister's shoulder. "Oh, let me alone," came the muffled answer, and the head at most disappeared from sight. "Audrey, it's half past seven. You'll be late again." The shaking became more vigorous. "Sweet Mamma!" The head appeared again and a vigorous young arm waved Fanny away. "Please, Audrey, darling, get up," Fanny persisted. "It's seven-thirty, and I got to go now. Come on, so I'll know you're awake before I leave. You were late yesterday, you know."

"Oh, forget it!" With a sudden jerk the mound of bedclothes came to life and Audrey Grice sat up, surveying her sister sleepily. The contrast between the two sisters was a marked family resemblance in the shape of their faces, in the contours of their heads, even in the color of their hair. And yet, to see the two together, one would hardly have believed that they belonged to each other. There was not very much difference in their ages—six years—and yet Audrey looked like a child, while Fanny had the mature look of a woman. Audrey had a vicious, weak beauty, while Fanny had a beautiful, strong beauty.

"Just have enough for Audrey," she reminded the boy, pushing the container towards him. Phil poured the cream with a generous hand and buttered some toast. He waited until he saw Fanny absorbed in her own food, and took a piece of the bread and butter and handed it down beneath the table to his constant companion, Bicky. Bicky made a little, joyous noise and snapped with his two rows of white teeth. "Phil!" Fanny reprimanded. "How many times have I told you not to feed Bicky at the table?" "I—I wasn't givin' him anything but some toast, sis," Phil cajoled. "It isn't that, dear. But he greases up the rug and Audrey—" "Aw, say, sis, you seem to think Audrey's the whole cheese in this house. I can't do nothing because of Audrey—I can't even talk out loud in the mornings 'cause it might wake Audrey." He mimicked Fanny's voice. "At gives me a pain in the neck."



"I want some more cream," said Phil.

As he casually observed, might have passed for a kind, good-hearted person, but never a particularly pretty one.

There sat Audrey in a filmy silk and lace nightgown, rubber gloves on the hands that she cared for so assiduously. By the window stood Fanny, dull and drab in a dark brown dress that never could and never would become her. One of Audrey's discarded dresses that had been lovely with all the red lights of Audrey's hair and all the redness of her petulant, pouting lips, and the red flush of her cheeks to set it off. But Fanny's hair was unknown to any hairdresser, and she had no time to be bothering with lipstick and rouge. And so the dress only made her look slightly sallow and brown all over.

But Fanny never noticed. "Are you in, you're awake, now?" she questioned, still smiling. To her, Audrey was a symbol of everything that was beauty. She had everything that Fanny had missed—the ability and the capacity to enjoy youth. And Fanny meant to do everything that would allow her sister to have what she had always missed. Only Fanny didn't think about it quite that way. She simply loved Audrey.

"Yes, I'm awake," the younger sister snapped, pulling off the rubber gloves and flinging them across the room. Carefully Fanny picked up the articles and laid them on the dresser. "A right," she announced, ignoring the curt tone of her sister's voice—being, in fact, quite accustomed to hearing it every morning. "I'm going now. Will you be home for dinner?" "How should I know?" Audrey retorted. "You'd better be." (To be continued.)

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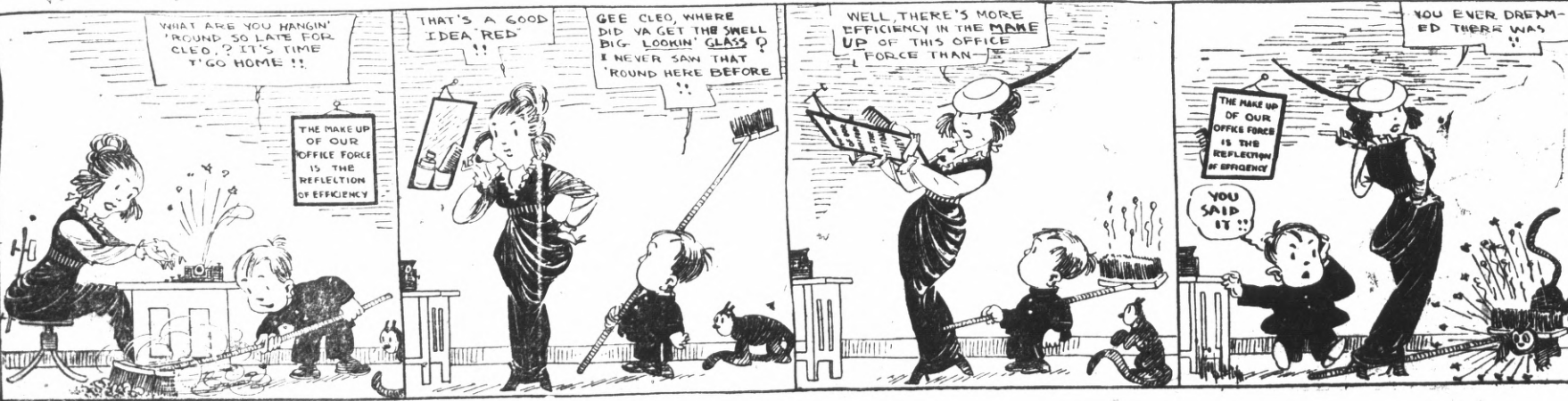
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## DELUSION OF WITCHCRAFT WILL BE TOLD AT TRIAL

YORK, Jan. 8. (AP)—The life story of a person born in an atmosphere of superstition, reared upon witchcraft, "pow-wow" and Voodoo, will be unfolded in the defense of John Blymyer, accused of the murder of Herbert Cohen, Blymyer's attorney, pleaded today.

When a child raised amid such environment also suffers from a chronic mental trouble, his delusions of witchcraft and day dreams of black magic may easily lead to murder, Cohen argued.

So he promised a willing courtroom that he would show that John Blymyer "fogobins" and "they men" were not just childhood fantasies used to frighten the neighbors' bad boy out of the family apple tree but that even at the age of 32 Blymyer finds them objects of an unshakable belief.

**Held Insane**  
He added that he would prove Blymyer had the mentality of a child of eight years; and that he was, in fact, insane, and had been for many years.

When all this evidence is in, Cohen said, the jury will be convinced that the tall, lean defendant, who later was described by a witness as having once "lost a small weight he could not put on," was small enough to fit his head, "sawed" from chronic insanity which took the form of a delusion of witchcraft, and a delusion of him on the grounds of mental incompetency.

**Fumblings with Cap**  
As Cohen related these details about the defendant in his opening statement to the jury, Blymyer, who is accused of murdering Nelson Remyer, a taxi driver, in every word, fumbling with a cap which, oddly enough, seemed about the right size after all, gave every evidence of being only the interest of a student of human conduct in the whole affair.

Clayton Hess, the lead witness, Monday's session to a close with the trial's first outburst of witchery when he testified Blymyer had confided to him after Nelson Remyer had been murdered, "not the witch," opened today's testimony. Under cross examination he told, with a delusion of deep belief, how the object of the attack on Remyer had been to get a "witch knot" in order to break a spell Remyer had cast over the Hess family.

**Murder Evidence**  
After that, the remainder of the state's case was less exciting, the presentation of the collar of Remyer's sweater burned from the garment to which it belonged, a couple of chairs, all blood stained with some hair still clinging to them, threatened to sicken the

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Then policemen told how Blymyer had been arrested and his confession. Defense attorney Cohen fought hard to gain an admission from them that Blymyer had explained the murder by saying Blymyer, known as a man of magic, had cast a spell upon him, but they all denied they had heard any such statement.

On the other hand, they told how Blymyer and Wilbert Hess and John Curry, accused with him, had admitted taking an unusual sum of money reported to have been three dollars, and divided it among themselves. It was the state's evidence to support its theory that robbery was the motive of the murder.

**Confession Told**  
Then Blymyer's confession was introduced. It was hardly two words long and contained rather perfunctory admissions that he had truck Remyer on the head with a chair, that he had knocked Remyer down, and helped tie him, and had poured water over the body and the floor of the house, to erase finger prints. It contained no explanation whatever as to why the murder was done.

With that the state rested its case.

Emmett Blymyer, father of the defendant, was the first witness called. He was a tragic figure, sitting in the high, white marble witness stand.

Emmett Blymyer wasn't certain whether he was 25 or 29 years old and it took him some time to count up that he was the father of six children, of whom John was the oldest. His testimony did not go much beyond that, for when asked to get him to tell about John's childhood and about the family belief in witchcraft, he said he was not proper to give a foundation in the way of evidence indicating John was insane.

**Declared Silent**  
Next came Mrs. Myrtle Downey, Blymyer's mother, a woman of 40, who acted in black except for white hair and a touch of pink in her face. She had been John's lady for months. She pictured him as a silent, individual so far as talking to others was concerned.

"When we wanted to ask him something we had to ask him twice before we got an answer," she said.

"He would walk around the house talking to himself of all sorts of things," she said.

"He always kept his room locked when he was in it. He complained there was something the matter with him and that he was sick. Then he said he was losing weight and finally he told me he was getting so thin that he couldn't buy a cap in York small enough to fit his head anymore."

**Doll Tea Party**  
She said one of his favorite social activities was joining her five-year old daughter and the child's dolls in a children's tea party.

The state prevented her telling any more about John, although Cohen indicated Mrs. Downey could give other bits about his flair for fortune telling and some of his

## STATE BUDGET MESSAGE BY GOVERNOR

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 8.—Substantial increases in the surplus of the state's general fund, a sharp reduction in the percentage increase of general government expenses, were "high spots" noted today in the biennial budget message of Gov. C. C. Young to the members of the Senate and Assembly.

Instead of a decrease in the surplus, as was predicted two years ago by the state's fiscal advisors, the Governor reported that the general fund of the state had increased by \$2,202,000 in 1928-29. This he added, is an increase of some \$16,000,000 in two years.

**Increase Less**  
The actual amount of the increase in money payable from the general fund of the state, in the budget, it was asserted, will be less than for any biennium in the last eight years.

"The utmost care was exercised, however, to maintain the expenditures within the available revenues, at all times," the Governor added.

The budget estimates in the percentage of increase were noted by the Governor in the state's general budget. The executive noted figures proving that the percentage of increase had been reduced from 24.4 in 1925-27 to 6.92 for the biennial period of 1928-31.

**Budget Growth**  
Likewise, Governor Young declared the percentage of increase of the total budget has been cut from 27.95 percent in 1925-27 to 12.31 percent for the biennial period 1928-31.

On the other hand, the Governor pointed to the fact that during the last two years, California had gained substantially in population. Thus, he concluded, while there has been a definite upward trend in population, the increase in money paid out has been substantially lowered.

He added that the percentage of increase in the general budget was undoubtedly the smallest in history and that it represented an actual reduction in the per capita cost of government.

**Fixed Charges**  
Governor Young invited attention to the fact that of the total budget for the biennium only \$66,481,671 or 27.21 percent comes under the direct control of the Governor. The remainder, totaling \$171,626,784.00, is made up of fixed charges comprising items appropriated by the Legislature and the State of California.

The budget submitted by Governor Young was divided into three parts: general fund, amounting to \$58,746,161.61; the educational budget, amounting to \$78,931,901.36; and the highway budget, amounting to \$106,432,790.

**Departmental Funds**  
Governor Young said the general budget had been arranged according to departmental functions, grouping "departments" already in existence, and such other activities as naturally suggest themselves as parts of functional groups.

Of the total educational budget of \$78,931,901.36, \$4,362,324.59 is fixed charges. The percentage of increase in the educational budget approximates the percentage of increase in population.

The highway budget of \$106,432,790 is entirely a fixed charge. The Governor said the increase in proposed expenditures for the next biennium was explained as being due to the additional content in the gasoline tax imposed by the last Legislature.

**"Pay As You Go"**  
Governor Young laid particular stress on the value of the "pay as you go" plan adopted by the highway commission. He said: "The proposed highway budget for the next biennium shows an estimated expenditure of approximately \$27,400,000 for new construction."

Next came Blymyer's former father in law, John W. Holloway. He was of middle age and he showed that he was well acquainted with work. He had no mind for figures, however, for he was unable to tell how long John and his daughter had remained married; how long since his daughter left John, or how long ago it was that he himself had taken John to the almshouse and had him examined for insanity. All those things had happened at some time or another, he was certain, however.

"I know they were married long enough to have three children," he said.

At that juncture court adjourned because Judge Ray P. Sherwood, presiding, would not permit questions being directed upon John's mental condition to be asked until medical experts have testified. The expert will be produced Wednesday, Cohen promised.

## Gift For "Great White Chief"



CHIEF COOK (with headress) King of the Virginia Indian Confederacy, who presented to Gov. Harry Byrd of Virginia, a deer, the first game of the season, thereby complying with a law 304 years old, adopted when the Virginia Indians were made subjects of the governor. The chief's squaw is at left and his daughter, at right, assists in holding up the game.

## LEGISLATURE SWAMPED BY FLOOD OF NEW MEASURES

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termites now under state ban and repeal of the "gin marriage" law which requires a three day notice before weddings, feared introduction of the bills.

Repeal of the "gin marriage" law was urged by Assemblyman Bert B. Snyder of Santa Cruz. Opposition to the measure appears inevitable.

**High Frats Discussed**  
Assemblyman Roy Bishop of Alameda sponsored the bill to legalize high school fraternities. In commenting upon his law Bishop declared that attempts to enforce the act which now prohibits secret societies in high schools are futile. Continued effort to enforce the act will only result in breeding disrespect for law among the young people, he believes.

A move to make all judicial offices in the state appointive by the governor rather than elective was contained in a constitutional amendment introduced by Senator Frank Merriam of Long Beach.

A host of other bills was brought in all of which will be acted upon when the Legislature meets again in March after recess.

**Budget Read**  
The budget message of Gov. C. C. Young was read to the Legislature during the afternoon session. The state executive assured the lawmakers that financial health of the state is being conducted along lines of "progressive and intelligent administration."

The feature of the message was a summary of a tentative 10 year state building program. During that time the state will spend a total of \$31,140,495 for permanent improvement at state institutions.

Reform institutions and state hospitals are to receive \$12,244,630 and education institutions \$10,575,470; two state prisons and a third proposed prison for women exclusively will receive \$3,025,000 under the building plan.

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## Red Cross To Hold Annual Meet Tonight

The annual meeting of the Richmond Red Cross will be held in War Veterans' Memorial hall, 250 Twelfth street, tonight at 7:30 p. m. The board of directors for the year will be elected. Everyone who has paid their dollar membership fee is entitled to vote and a large attendance is hoped for.

The following item of interest to veterans was announced yesterday by the Red Cross.

"The attention of disabled veterans is called to a new regulation of considerable importance. General Order No. 382 provides that where a veteran who is receiving compensation has a wife or children, a periodic follow-up at yearly intervals will be maintained to ascertain whether the veteran and his wife are living together, and if the children are in his custody, and the wife and children living. Dependent parents no longer continue automatically to draw death dependency compensation to the date of their death but must submit each year new proof that their dependency is continuing.

"In the case of dependency of parents, if such evidence is not received during January of each year, payments to the parents will be suspended. The Red Cross will be glad to help anyone in making out these papers. The office is in the First National Bank building at Sixth and Macdonald Avenue, and is open from 10:00 a. m. to 12 m. each day."

## Chief Testifies In Capital Case

Chief of Police Dan J. Cox and Otto Poulson, Richmond Jeweler, were in Sacramento yesterday testifying in a superior court action.

## POISON LIQUOR TRACED IN MARTINEZ

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possibly from consumption of liquor.

It is reported that an arsenic impregnated tank, utilized for many months for storage of weed killer at the old Butters plant at Peyton, had been removed from the property and it is believed to have fallen into the possession of a man residing near Martinez and known for his bootlegging activities.

The analyzed wine is believed to have come from this tank of wood construction as chemists declare there was unmistakable evidence of arsenic. The arsenic content is said to have exceeded one tenth of one percent. Medical authorities consulted today declared that arsenic in that amount consumed regularly would be sufficient to cause serious skin eruptions and paralysis, or even death.

The weed killer manufactured at the Butters plant had a heavy arsenic content, it is declared. An investigation is under way by the local authorities.

**AT HOTEL CARQUINEZ**  
Arrivals at the Hotel Carquinez yesterday were C. W. Johnson, city, H. S. Hill of San Bernardino, C. W. Bothe of Amarillo, Texas; B. I. Boyd of San Bernardino, J. M. Schmidt of Los Angeles, J. R. Anderson of Fresno, C. A. McNamara of Flagstaff, Arizona, H. M. Schwartz of San Francisco, Fred Claudius of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Richmond of Walla Walla, Washington.

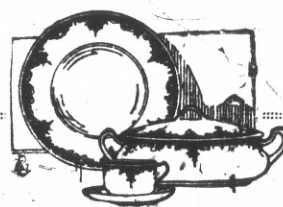
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